

SUBJECT: United Farm Workers et al.

FILE: 159-3729

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

# Memorandum

TO : Acting Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: January 31, 1973

FROM : *[Signature]* Henry E. Petersen  
Assistant Attorney General  
Criminal Division

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SUBJECT: Possible Violations of 29 U.S.C. §530  
and 18 U.S.C. §241

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On January 29, 1973, we received a telegram from Cesar Chavez, United Farm Workers, Keene, California, which indicates possible violations of 29 U.S.C. §530 and 18 U.S.C. §241.

Chavez alleges that the offices of United Farm Workers in Delano were dynamited during the week of January 22, 1973, that their Terra Bella office in Tulare County was destroyed on January 28, 1973, and that their Poplar office was attacked recently. Chavez further alleges that Union members have been threatened with bodily harm.

We request that you conduct a preliminary investigation to determine if there has been any violations of 18 U.S.C. §241 or of 29 U.S.C. §530.

Please forward all reports in this matter to the Management and Labor Section.

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1- Mr. Cavanaugh  
1- Mr. McDonough (2260)  
1- Mr. Howard (704 9&D)

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TO: SAC, Sacramento

FROM: Acting Director, FBI

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UNSUB;  
UNITED FARM WORKERS  
DELANO, CALIFORNIA  
LMRDA

Enclosed for Sacramento are two copies of a self-explanatory memorandum from the Criminal Division, Department of Justice, dated 1/31/73.

Regarding the dynamiting of the United Farm Workers Office, Delano, California, on 1/22/73, you should submit an LHM containing the facts surrounding this incident.

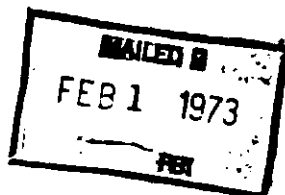
Conduct investigation requested in enclosed memorandum and surep on a prompt basis. Assign mature, experienced Agents and be most circumspect in any contact with Cesar Chavez.

Enclosures (2)

PNC/amm (6)

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Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Baker \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Gebhardt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Jenkins \_\_\_\_\_  
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Mr. Miller, E.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Purvis \_\_\_\_\_  
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Mr. Kinley \_\_\_\_\_  
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Mr. Holloman \_\_\_\_\_  
Ms. Horwig \_\_\_\_\_  
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REPORTING OFFICE <b>SACRAMENTO</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>SACRAMENTO</b>	DATE <b>2/21/73</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>2/9/73 - 2/15/73</b>
TITLE OF CASE  <b>UNSUB; • UNITED FARM WORKERS, DELANO, CALIFORNIA</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>SA [REDACTED]</b>	TYPED BY <b>(b)(6) jk</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>LMRDA</b>	

REFERENCE: Bureau airtel to Sacramento dated 2/1/73.

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**ADMINISTRATIVE:**

The information concerning the dynamiting of the UFW facility at Delano, California, mentioned in referenced airtel was submitted to the Bureau by airtel and letterhead memorandum from Sacramento dated 1/9/73, captioned "Unknown Subject; Bombing of United Farm Workers Co-op Gas Station, Garces Highway, Delano, California, 1/17/73", Sacramento **159-39**

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE		ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:  PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
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APPROVED <i>[Signature]</i>		SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE		DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW  <b>159-3729-2</b>  <b>7 FEB 23 1973</b>  <b>REC-73</b> <b>EX-106</b>	
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